



**Service of Process
Transmittal**

02/25/2022

CT Log Number 541121897

TO: KIM LUNDY- EMAIL
Walmart Inc.
GLOBAL GOVERNANCE/CENTRAL INTAKE, 2914 SE I STREET MS#0200
BENTONVILLE, AR 72712-3148

RE: Process Served in Illinois

FOR: WALMART INC. (Domestic State: DE)

ENCLOSED ARE COPIES OF LEGAL PROCESS RECEIVED BY THE STATUTORY AGENT OF THE ABOVE COMPANY AS FOLLOWS:

TITLE OF ACTION: Re: WHITE LESLIE // To: WALMART INC.

DOCUMENT(S) SERVED: Summons, Attachment(s), Complaint

COURT/AGENCY: St. Clair County Circuit Court, IL
Case # 22LA0147

NATURE OF ACTION: Personal Injury - Slip/Trip and Fall - 10/13/2020 - 1530 West Highway 50, in
O'Fallon, Illinois

ON WHOM PROCESS WAS SERVED: C T Corporation System, Chicago, IL

DATE AND HOUR OF SERVICE: By Process Server on 02/25/2022 at 17:23

JURISDICTION SERVED : Illinois

APPEARANCE OR ANSWER DUE: Within 30 days after service, exclusive of the day of service

ATTORNEY(S) / SENDER(S): Brady M. McAninch
Hipskind & McAninch, LLC
5111 West Main Street
Belleville, IL 62220
618-641-9189

ACTION ITEMS: CT has retained the current log, Retain Date: 02/26/2022, Expected Purge Date:
03/03/2022

Image SOP

REGISTERED AGENT ADDRESS: C T Corporation System
208 South LaSalle Street
Suite 814
Chicago, IL 60604
877-564-7529
MajorAccountTeam2@wolterskluwer.com

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PROCESS SERVER DELIVERY DETAILS

Date: Fri, Feb 25, 2022

Server Name: Kyle Clutter

Entity Served	WAL MART INC
Case Number	22LA0147
Jurisdiction	IL



CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 20TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

State of Illinois)
County of St. Clair) S.S.

Case Number 22LA0147

Amount Claimed _____

LESLIE WHITE

WAL-MART, INC.

VS

Plaintiff(s)

Defendant(s)

Classification Prefix _____ Code _____ Nature of Action _____ Code _____

TO THE SHERIFF: SERVE THIS DEFENDANT AT:

Pltf. Atty. Brady McAninch _____ Code _____
Address 5111 W. Main Street _____
City Belleville, IL 62226 _____ Phone _____
Add. Pltf. Atty. _____ Code _____

NAME CT CORPORATION (Registered Agent for
Defendant)

ADDRESS 208 S. LASALLE ST., SUITE 814

SUMMONS COPY

To the above named defendant(s).

CITY & STATE CHICAGO, IL 60604



A. You are hereby summoned and required to appear before this court at

(court location) _____ at _____ M. On _____ 20____
to answer the complaint in this case, a copy of which is hereto attached. If you fail to do so, a judgment by default may
be taken against you for the relief asked in the complaint.



B. You are summoned and required to file an answer to the complaint in this case, a copy of which is hereto
attached, or otherwise file your appearance, in the office of the clerk of this court within 30 days after service of this
summons, exclusive of the day of service. If you fail to do so, judgment of decree by default may be taken against you
for the relief prayed in the complaint.

E-filing is now mandatory for documents in civil cases with limited exemptions. To e-file, you must first create an account with an e-filing service
provider. Visit <https://efile.illinoiscourts.gov/service-providers.htm> to learn more and to select a service provider.

If you need additional help or have trouble e-filing, visit <http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/FAQ/gethelp.asp>.

TO THE OFFICER:

This summons must be returned by the officer or other person to whom it was given for service, with
indorsement thereon of service and fees if any, immediately after service. In the event that paragraph A of this
summons is applicable this summons may not be served less than three days before the day of appearance. If service
cannot be made, this summons shall be returned so indorsed.

This summons may not be served later than 30 days after its date.



Marie Zaiz
MARIE ZAIZ, Circuit Clerk

2/22/2022
Ashley Dougherty

SEAL

WITNESS, _____ 20____

Clerk of Court

BY DEPUTY: _____

DATE OF SERVICE: _____ 20____

(To be inserted by officer on copy left with defendant
or other person)



I certify that I served this summons on defendants as follows:

(a) - (Individual defendants - personal):

By leaving a copy of the summons and a copy of the complaint with each individual defendant personally as follows:

Name of defendant

Date of service

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

(b) - (Individual defendants - abode):

By leaving a copy of the summons and a copy of the complaint at the usual place of abode of each individual defendant with a person of his family, of the age of 13 years or upwards, informing that person of the contents of the summons, and also by sending a copy of the summons and of the complaint in a sealed envelope with postage fully prepaid, addressed to each individual defendant at his usual place of abode, as follows:

Name of
defendant

Person with
whom left

Date of
service

Date of
mailing

_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

(c) - Corporation defendants):

By leaving a copy of the summons and a copy of the complaint with the registered agent office, or agent of each defendant corporation as follows:

Defendant corporation

Registered agent,
officer or agent

Date of
service

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

(d) - (Other service):

SHERIFF'S FEES	
Service and return _____	\$ _____
Miles _____	\$ _____
Total _____	\$ _____
Sheriff of _____ County	

_____, Sheriff of _____ County

_____, Deputy

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE TWENTY SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
 ST. CLAIR COUNTY, ILLINOIS

LESLIE WHITE,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	22LA0147
)	
Vs.)	
)	
WAL-MART, INC.,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

COMPLAINT

NOW COMES Plaintiff, Leslie White, by and through her attorneys, Hipskind & McAninch, LLC, and for her Complaint against Defendant, Wal-Mart, Inc., states as follows:

1. On or before October 13, 2020, Defendant, Wal-Mart, Inc. (hereafter “Wal-Mart”), owned, operated, managed, maintained, and controlled an establishment known as Wal-Mart located at 1530 West Highway 50, in O’Fallon, Illinois.
2. On October 13, 2020, Plaintiff, Leslie White, was on the premises as a Customer and patron of Wal-Mart, when she tripped on a raised concrete block on the sidewalk in front of the store, causing her to fall to the ground.
3. At the time and place alleged above, Wal-Mart had a duty to use reasonable care in the ownership, operation, management, maintenance, and control of the subject premise.
4. On October 13, 2020, Wal-Mart was in violation of such duty, committed one or more of the following negligent acts:
 - a. Failed to inspect the premises protect against unsafe conditions;
 - b. Designed, built, and/or maintained its premises in an unsafe manner;
 - c. Failed to properly warn of change in elevation levels in the walkway outside of the entry and exits;

- d. Failed to timely and properly maintain the subject area so as to provide a safe walking surface for its customers;
 - e. Failed to provide any type of warning for its customers concerning the unsafe condition of the subject area, when it knew, or in the exercise of ordinary care should have known, that a warning was necessary for the safety of its customers, including Plaintiff; and/or
 - f. Was otherwise careless and/or negligent in the ownership, operation, maintenance, and management of the subject establishment.
5. As a proximate result of one or more of the foregoing negligent acts or omissions of Wal-Mart, Plaintiff was caused to fall and suffer significant injuries and resulting damaged.

WHEREFORE Plaintiff, Leslie White, requests that the Court enter judgment in her favor against Defendant, Wal-Mart, Inc., in an amount to exceed \$50,000.00 and for any other relief that is just under the circumstances.

Respectfully Submitted,

HIPSKIND & MCANINCH, LLC

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